

Serial No. 10/806,824
Response to Office Action and
Preliminary Amendment

Customer No. 01933

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Claim 10 has been amended to change the dependency thereof to depend from any one of claims 1-8. New claim 11 has been added which corresponds to claim 10 depending from claim 9. No new matter has been added.

Authorization is hereby given to charge any additional fees which may be determined to be required to Account No. 06-1378.

ELECTION

Applicants hereby elect Species a, Fig. 1-4, for further prosecution on the merits, without traverse.

CLAIMS READABLE ON ELECTED SPECIES

The claims readable on elected Species a are claims 1-8 and 10.

Applicants have informed the undersigned that the original inventorship is still correct for the elected subject matter.

It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed on the basis of the election set forth above.

It is respectfully submitted that this submission is fully responsive to the outstanding Office Action.

* * * * *

SEP. 15. 2005 2:39PM

+1-212-319-5101 customer 01933

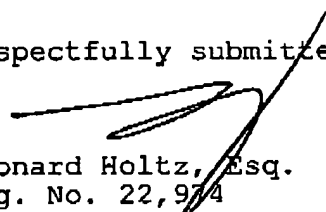
NO. 0750 P. 7/7

Serial No. 10/806,824
Response to Office Action and
Preliminary Amendment

Customer No. 01933

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,



Leonard Holtz, Esq.
Reg. No. 22,974

FRISHAUF HOLTZ GOODMAN & CHICK, P.C.
220 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10001-7708
Tel. No. (212) 319-4900
Fax No. (212) 319-5101
LH:nps